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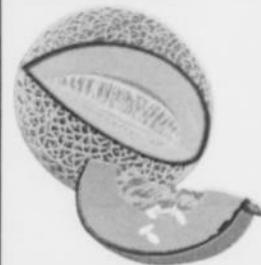
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Canada Day

Didsburians gathered around Memorial park Friday evening to watch the Canada Day fireworks. For more Canada Day pictures see page 13.

photo by Tamara Collins

Rural MVC on boil water advisory

A boil water advisory is in effect for all Mountain View County residents living on private well property west of the QE2 highway due to possible contamination of E. coli bacteria.

The Calgary Health Region is saying those living in or near the flood plain are at greater risk and should test immediately.

"We want to make sure everything is safe before people resume using the water as is," said CHR spokesperson Jeff Meerman.

The advisory was issued Wednesday after several water samples submitted from Mountain View County residents to the provincial testing lab came back positive for E. coli.

But Mountain View County Reeve Al Kemmere, who first heard about the advisory while watching the news Thursday morning, is questioning the CHR's protocol.

"What we're trying to find out is who and how they made the call without contacting the County first," he said. "I'm in touch with the office right now and they're tracking it down."

Meerman said the CHR handled it on its own because it was the Region that conducted the testing.

"We deal with boil water advisories quite often for people on wells, and people who are on wells are familiar with the process," he said. "Our inspectors are notifying people door-to-

door, but because of what's happening right now with a lot of activity with the floods, we're helping them out a little bit by trying to get the word out, just in case people didn't see the notice."

Overland flood run-off on well property is being blamed for the problem, and Cremona was the only township unable to evade contamination, with one well being shut down. Village CAO Dan Proctor said Cremona will likely remain under a boil water advisory until at least the end of the week.

"We're working as fast as possible because we know it's a major inconvenience to everybody in town," he said. "As of right now, our

water is testing safe to drink, but our wells have in fact been contaminated, so we're taking all due precautions."

Meerman said homeowners on well property should understand it isn't possible to determine water quality by taste, smell or appearance and he's urging them to consider their water unsafe until testing proves otherwise.

For now, people are being asked to bring water to a rolling boil for one minute, or use bottled water for drinking, cooking and brushing their teeth. For details on how to obtain water samples for testing, and where to drop them off, call the Calgary Health Link toll free at 1-866-408-LINK or log on to www.calgaryhealthregion.ca

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NEWS

New high school Ground Breaking



by Tamara Collins

After years of waiting patiently, the Town of Didsbury, Chinook's Edge School Division, Mountain View County (MVC), and Richard Marz, MLA, were all excited to attend the Ground Breaking Ceremony for the new Didsbury High School (DHS) Wednesday afternoon.

The Ceremony was held where the new school will be built on 15th Ave, which is set to be ready for the Sept. 2006 school year.

In 1999 the school was audited, and it was estimated it needed \$2.5 million in work. At the same time Ross Ford School needed work done so after some convincing, all the money went to Ross Ford while DHS was asked to sit for awhile. Three years ago it was announced they would be getting funding for a new school.

"This new school is costing closer to \$8 million," said Jim Gibbons, CESD superintendent. "It will be in a brand new location, that will help bring traffic away from the other two schools."

Gibbons is excited 10 acres of the land for the new

school came from the Dorins, who have great ties to the school system, and the other 5 acres came from the Town.

"The development of this school is the vision of the people," said Dorothy Moore, mayor. "Since 1982 I have been talking with the Dorins about what to develop on this land, and I think a school is perfect. This is a tribute to all involved."

The MVC is contributing \$50,000 of work towards the new school.

"Any time a new school is built in the County it is always a positive move," said MVC reeve, Al Kemmere. "The residents are the benefactors. We have this new school here, then one in Olds, then hopefully one in Carstairs, then we will have

a balance of moderate schools in the County."

Jackie Swainson, CESD vice chair, says the new school will have a better gym, an improved band room, and library.

DHS principal Steve Thompson says it is certainly time for this to happen, with the present school building being 52 years old, and he is very excited.

Once the new school is built the old school will be de-constructed, and the materials will be re-used.

"I am glad this day has come," said Richard Marz. "It was announced three years ago, now I will just be happy when we are cutting the ribbon."

Richard Marz, MLA, Jackie Swainson, CESD vice chair, Jim Gibbons, CESD superintendent, Dorothy Moore, Didsbury mayor, Al Kemmere, MVC reeve, dig their gold shovels into the ground to mark the official Ground Breaking for the new Didsbury High School.

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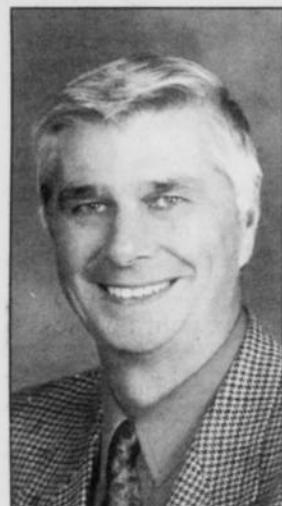
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NEWS

Same-sex marriage fight not over, say MLA Marz, MP Thompson

by Shawne Mohl

Last week's historic vote, which now makes Canada the third country in the world to legalize same-sex marriage, disappoints local politicians, who are vying that the fight is not over.



Richard Marz, MLA

The Civil Marriage Act passed last Tuesday, June 28, during final reading, 158-133. It will now be moved into the Senate, and is expected to become law later this month.

Same-sex marriage is already legal in eight provinces and one territory; Alberta, PEI, NWT, and Nunavut are the exceptions.

This Act only applies to civic weddings at public places like city halls and courthouses. No churches or other religious groups will be forced to sanctify gay marriage, if they choose not to do so.

"I am very disappointed, but it isn't over," Wild Rose MP Myron Thompson said, immediately following last Tuesday's vote - of which he voted against.

Thompson believes that this is just the beginning of what is about to be a very rocky road, with a number of court challenges ahead for the Liberal government, churches, and other religious groups.

"The Bill claims to be protecting religious freedom, but I can assure you that this is just the start of trou-

bles ahead. There only needs to be one court challenge from a gay couple against a Minister that can change that whole picture. It has happened in the past, it will happen more. That is what I believe is going to occur," Thompson said. "As we speak there are (marriage) commissioners that are being fired from different Province's, because of their beliefs... There are people who are being fired from their jobs in public service - particularly school teachers



Myron Thompson, MP

who write letters to the editor in regards to the issue, expressing their view. In other words, they have lost their freedom of speech and freedom of expression.

There are halls, such as the Knights of Columbus in British Columbia which have refused to allow a function for same-sex couples in their hall, because of their faith and they are being charged. I just know this is not the end, it's only the beginning of more problems."

Local Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills MLA Richard Marz echoed the words of Thompson, adding that the Province is still looking into all possible avenues they can, to ban homosexuals from getting married.

"I am not delighted by the decision. I am disappointed, but it's not that it hasn't been expected for quite some time. We are going to have to sit down and see what options are available to us Provincially, and put those options before the



Congrats

photo by Tamara Collins

These six Mountain View County Health Care Aide students just graduated from their five month program (which is normally eight months, but they got a condensed version), through Norquest.

Back: Dennis Morrison
Middle: (L to R) Niki Swarbrick and Darlene Neuton.
Front: (L to R) Shawna Inkster, Debra Morrison, and Leah Anderson.

people of Alberta and see what we can do," Marz said last week, also following the federal vote. "As the Premier said before, 'He will take every legal step he can to protect the wishes of Albertans on this,' to those that have said they want to keep the definition of marriage and spouse exclusively to heterosexual couples."

Marz says that his own personal beliefs, which he has always stated on the campaign trail, is that marriage is more than just two people being in love - it comes down to being able to produce a family.

"Marriage, in my mind, is an institution where two people make a commitment and one of the reasons for that commitment is the rearing of children. When you are raising children, I personally think that a child should have the influence of both a mother and a father. Two men or two women I don't think can provide the same influences on a child's life, as one of each can. We are biologically different," Marz said.

Under the Province's Inter-dependence Relationship's Act - prior to this Bill passing - same-sex couples have had the same rights as heterosexual couples - except for marriage.

"Pretty much from a legal perspective. Under the Act - all of those things are covered. Not some of those things, all of them. The only thing we have denied same-sex couples to this point is the use of term marriage to describe their union and the use of the term spouse to de-

termine their partner. That is the only thing that they have been denied for the past four years, since that Act was passed. I would think that would be adequate of any legal rights, it's just those particular terms to define their relationship."

The Premier last week stated that it has been discussed briefly to get rid of the Alberta Marriage Act completely, and go to only allowing unions between two people.

Marz says he agrees, and will be sitting down with fellow government members to discuss this further.

"We have talked about this in caucus as one of the options. I have expressed a lot of interest looking at this closer as a possibility, where the Province would only be involved in civil unions and the churches would have the responsibilities of sanctifying marriages. Then it would be up to churches to decide which want to do that (sanctify gay marriage), and which don't," Marz added.

Marz and Thompson both agree that the government has much larger problems facing them, than deciding if homosexual Canadians should be allowed to purchase a marriage license or not, and it angers both of them considerably.

"I am absolutely appalled that our Federal government seems to focus on these types of moral issues as if that is the most important issue facing a country of our size with no thought to other issues. They allow themselves to be pre-occu-

ped with these issues, with no thought to the economy, what we can do to pay down our national debt, housing issues for poor people - there are all sorts of issues that we should be dealing with. Military is another one, they have allowed the military to be virtually depleted - it's an International joke, our ability to defend ourselves," Marz said.

"And, the federal government is frittering away their time on these types of issues. It reminds me of the old adage, 'Narrow fiddling, while Rome builds.' And, I think we are pretty much familiar with that particular situation."

Thompson agreed stating that he feels there are important issues, such as banning child pornography and making it illegal, upping the age of sexual consent, and of course the BSE crisis that ranchers are still faced with.

"There are many issues that have been put on the back-burner: raising the age of consent, something that the Liberals, the NDP nor the Bloc will support; Child pornography, which none of the other three parties are willing to support. I really don't know where the nation is heading in regards to that kind of stuff, but in the meantime we still have Mad Cow and we still have high taxes and we still have a standard of living being diminished. They are problems and we better start dealing with them."

The government is now on summer break, but Thompson says his government will be back at the bit as soon as they resume in the fall.

OPINIONS

EDITORIAL

Some summer please



TAMARA COLLINS
EDITORIAL

OK farmers, I understand you have all wanted rain, and you were all praying for it, well God was listening, and I think he was on backorder for rain, cause it just keeps coming.

So if you could please tell God that we are ok for rain, at least for the next while, that would be great.

We have been pretty blessed here in Didsbury not to have had any major flooding or damage. It is sad though to hear about, and see the people who surround us,

that were not so lucky.

I am not sure what it is lately, but everywhere seems to be suffering from extreme weather conditions.

I guess we have to be thankful we had flooding and not a Tsunami.

Wonderings of the heart

by Margaret Fradley

"Take Every Precaution"

While on a recent vacation to Vancouver to visit our son, we saw and experienced many special places of rare beauty, visiting the rose gardens was a delight with the sweet aroma of roses filling the air; standing by the ocean and just listening to the waves splash against the rocks, is always a meaningful time for me. We took in many other sights making our visit extra special. We even had a visit to downtown China town.

However, on one occasion we decided to have a meal out, and went into a restaurant where I ordered my lunch along with a salad, as I came near to the end of the salad, I suddenly spied a worm among the lettuce leaves; I was thankful it was a whole worm, it could have been much worse had it been half a worm and I had consumed the other half!!!

I called the waitress and showed her my discovery and this was her retort. "Well that will be extra protein, they are in season now, I have a lot in my garden." I thought "good for you, but I don't really want them in my lunch."

The waitress called the cook out; they all seemed to think it was hilarious, all but me that is, but they did reduce my lunch to half price. My advice to any of you travellers, no matter what is 'in season' have a good look before you put that fork full of food into your mouths!!



MYRON THOMPSON'S COLUMN

The Prime Minister at his finest

Myron Thompson, Member of Parliament for Wild Rose delivered the following statement in the House of Commons last week. In it he highlighted a typical answer from the Prime Minister, in this case on raising the age of sexual consent.

mentioned that he had asked the Prime Minister why his government wouldn't support legislation to raise the age of consent and this is how the Prime Minister responded:

"Well, this is an...this is an issue that...that, you know, that...that Parliament is in the process of debating. These are...these are very important social issues, and I think that what we've got to do is to allow the debate to unfold."

One of the....one of the ways in which the changes I really wanted to bring to Parliament is to give the

Parliamentary committees the ability to go out, to reach out and to discuss all of these issues. And again, the whole question of the Parliamentary...you know, the democratic deficit, is something that Tony Valeri is working so hard on."

Mr. Speaker- that answer is appalling. The Prime Minister was asked a direct question that is of great concern to every Canadian parent. How dare he ignore it. Soon Canadian's will realize that the Liberal's are both morally and politically bankrupt, and deserve better.

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Thank you to the volunteers

Dear Editor,

Although my house was not physically impacted by the flood disaster, apart from excessive dampness in my basement, I am devastated by the trauma which so many in our County have experienced.

The tremendous support given by so many to those whose homes and businesses have been put into a state of disaster has been more than just heart warming. This display of magnanimous community help and support is outstanding. The selfless effort made by the

volunteers, rain or shine, is phenomenal. I commend you all.

My hat goes off to Wendy Dichrow of FCSS (Sundre) and her helpers - to Jennifer Lutz of SPOG and her helpers - and to Dianna Gilbert of Shell and her helpers - without whose tremendous skills, understanding, love, and dedication, situations could have been even worse. You girls certainly have angel qualities and I commend you.

I pray that other disasters of this magnitude never occur, however, we know we are at the mercy of Mother

Nature. May we learn from this experience and save, to our memory, those lessons we can utilize in the face of any future disaster to mitigate the resulting impact.

I wish renewed strength to all...

Liz Negropontes
Councillor- Division 6
Mountain View County

Canada's New Deal for communities

Dear Editor:

Alberta is a province at the leading edge, diversifying its economy with innovative businesses, hardworking individuals, and strong communities. I am proud to say that I have had an opportunity to travel to most parts of the province, including Didsbury, and I know that when given the opportunity, Albertans are not just competitive, but are leaders - in business and in ideas.

The federal government has been working with Albertans to put our ideas to work. The results are visible right here in Didsbury.

As part of the Government of Canada's New Deal for Communities, the Liberal Government pledged to share gas tax revenue with municipalities. Alberta communities will receive \$476.9 million over the next five years - of this, the Town of Didsbury will get \$593,578. In addition to this, municipalities are eligible for a rebate of 100% of their GST payments. Didsbury received \$282,577.98 in GST rebates this year. That is real money set aside for priorities in your municipality.

The federal government does work in many ways in cooperation with the provinces and the municipalities, to encourage innovation, and to support programs that will benefit Alberta communities and help them to thrive and prosper for years to come. I think the New Deal for Cities and Communities does exactly that.

Too often we forget the significant role that the federal government plays in our day-to-day lives. These kinds of partnerships are proof that Canada and our federal structure work and work well. Albertans are leaders in building this kind of partnership that will bring tangible results and build prosperity for communities like Didsbury well into the future.

**Senator
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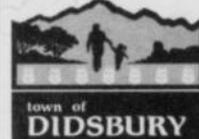
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PUBLIC MEETINGS & NOTICES

TOWN COUNCIL:

July 12, 2005 - Council Chambers, 7:00 pm
August 9, 2005 - Council Chambers, 7:00 pm

MUNICIPAL PLANNING COMMISSION:

Wednesday, July 6, 2005 - Council Chambers, 4:30 pm
Wednesday, July 27, 2005 - Council Chambers, 4:30 pm

NEW DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATIONS

The following Development Permits have been issued for the following proposed developments:

- DP 54-05 1199 Kildeer Close Relocated single family dwelling R2
- DP 55-05 1301, 1313 - 20 St. Industrial Building I1

Further information may be obtained at the Town Office. Person(s) wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing with the appropriate fees to the secretary, Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 pm on July 19, 2005.

ASSESSMENT REVIEW BOARD HEARING

Monday, July 11, 2005 at 7:00 pm
Didsbury Council Chambers

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NEWS

Didsbury and Carstairs committed to work together

by Tamara Collins and Shawne Mohl

The Towns of Carstairs and Didsbury say they are planning for the future, and want to maintain positive working relationships with one another as they agreed to pursue a mutual agreement between the two municipalities.

"We have talked about having a different kind of amenity that we could share in Carstairs, that would draw Didsburians there, like we have the pool, we are very small and we have limited resources, this mutual cooperation can help us do more than we could by ourselves."

-Dorothy Moore,
mayor of Didsbury

The agreement, which is currently being looked into by the Town's two Chief Administrative Officers (CAO), directed the Towns to begin meeting regularly and to prepare a report for both councils, relative to reducing costs and providing better services for both communities, by cost sharing of different pieces of equipment and programs.

The two towns are members of a regional partnership, which includes all communities within Mountain View County, who are working towards finding ways and methods they too can work at reducing costs for all municipalities.

"Carstairs and Didsbury have a history of mutual aide and cooperation," said Didsbury mayor Dorothy Moore. "Our locations are so similar, just off Highway 2 and 2A. Our citizens share facilities and we have buses that go back and forth."

Examples of how these types of agreements can benefit all communities, is the Mountain View Regional Waste Commission, who are responsible for waste disposal; and the Mountain View Regional Emergency Services, which provides ambulance service throughout the County.

"We have talked about having a different kind of amenity that we could share in Carstairs, that would draw Didsburians there, like we have the pool," said Moore. "We are very small and we have limited resources, this mutual cooperation can help us do more than we could by ourselves."

The Town of Didsbury's Interim CAO Roy Brown echoed the words of Moore saying that the two administrations will be working together, and will present a report to both their councils in September.

"I think it's a very, very progressive move that the two towns are looking towards cost saving so that both councils can maximize every tax dollar possible," said Brown. "If there is anyway we can save money on programs or equipment, it keeps tax rates down."

The two Towns will meet again in September, after administration has prepared a report on the possibilities between the two Towns.

photo by Tamara Collins

Wheel of a deal

Allie Sande is presented with a new Razoe E100 Electric Scouter, for winning the AG Foods 'Wheel into Summer' contest, presented to Sande by Greg Poirier, store manager. Sande now has a chance to win one of five PT Cruisers.

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Neighborhood

Breast cancer survivor continues battle against disease

by Tamara Collins

After winning a battle with breast cancer, this woman is now on a mission to stop breast cancer from hurting other women by sharing her story, and doing the Walk to End Breast Cancer.

Terrie McEwen, who lives between Didsbury and Carstairs, went for a mammogram in Nov. 2004, and when it had to be taken twice she was not concerned because she knew it was common. Then December came, and McEwen got a call from her doctor who told her she must go and see a surgeon, because she might need a biopsy.

"There was no lump and no pain, I had the mammogram because of my age. So my message is, have your mammogram done, and also give yourself regular self exams, exercise and eat well."

- Terrie McEwen, Breast cancer survivor

It was Jan. 14 when McEwen was told she had ductal carcinoma, cancer of the milk ducts, which is a form of breast cancer.

"My sister was with me when I found out," said McEwen. "I was then told



Terrie McEwen, breast cancer survivor, and her best friend Cindy Tippe will be participating in the Walk To End Breast Cancer in August, and are looking for support.

my options. When I was first diagnosed I was more stunned than anything."

After carefully considering each option, McEwen decided the best choice for her was to have a mastectomy, which means to have her entire breast removed.

"I opted for the mastectomy because no further treatments would be required," said McEwen. "My mother also had breast cancer, she had a lumpectomy, and now she is doing fine. That was seven years ago."

A big concern of McEwens was the fact the cancer was not detectable by a self exam.

"There was no lump and no pain," said McEwen. "I had the mammogram be-

cause of my age. So my message is, have your mammogram done, and also give yourself regular self exams, exercise and eat well."

McEwen also asks that you support those who are doing the Walk to End Breast Cancer in August. The Walk is taking place in Calgary, and each participant must raise \$2000, and also train for the 60 km walk, which will take place over two days.

McEwen is doing the Walk with her best friend Cindy Tippe.

"I wanted to support Terrie," said Tippe. "I am also doing it because one in 27 women die from breast cancer."

To sponsor either woman

in the Walk you can visit endcancer.ca, go to the Calgary link, click on sponsor a participant, and type in either of the women's names. Donation sheets are also available at the Didsbury RE/MAX office.

"Every \$10 donation helps," said McEwen.

At the time McEwen was diagnosed, two other Didsbury women were also diagnosed, and a friend of McEwen, who lives in Vancouver.

"One of out nine women will be diagnosed," said McEwen. "It comes in many different forms, so don't mess with it, because it can be removed in time. Every choice must be a personal choice though."

After going through it, McEwen knows that there is a lot of support out there for other women.

"I never said why me, because it could happen to anyone," said McEwen. "I just want to advise young girls to please do the self exams, this disease is not selective, it could happen to anyone."

Before McEwen was even diagnosed with breast cancer, she and her daughter had already talked about doing the Walk, now she says she has even more motivation.

Cindy and I are excited to do this walk together," said McEwen. "There are lots of women training for it, so please show your support."



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**Bancroft
W.I.**

by Eva Page

We met at Deerfoot Mall, Calgary for a lunch on our way to Catherine McNaughton's new home in Calgary where 6 members & 6 visitors gathered. Catherine chose "Let's All Sing Like The Birdies Sing" followed by the Creed & flag salute.

2 new picnic tables have been built for Midway Park & a new roof has been put on one of the toilets. Some campers at the park offered to mow the grass & the Lores took a mower over for them to do so. Thanks to all.

A tea is tentatively planned for Unit 4 on July 20th at 2:30, also a tea for Chinook Winds in October if all goes well.

Toni Bennett told us about Adelide Hoodless & our votes for her as Top Woman In Canada & in Ontario. She will vote for all of us in favor of this on her computer, if possible.

Pat Van Tetering showed us a newspaper clipping of the quilt which is hanging in the Alberta Legislature, from the W.I.

Our community weiner roast is Aug. 8th - 5 p.m. for meeting, 6 p.m. for weiner roast. We do not need to bring weiners as we have leftovers from a farm sale, but we will need to bring buns & dessert.

Pat Van Tetering gave her report on the convention in Camrose. A quilt was brought home by our committee to be raffled off, as soon as we get the license number.

We all wore blue hats to this meeting - thanks to Pat Van tetering.

by Marge St. Clair

If you are planning on having entries in the Annual Bench Fair show on Aug. 20, please be advised that the Program Books are in all stores. The yard judging will be done on Sat. Aug. 13 and the prizes will be awarded on Sat. Aug. 20 at 5 p.m. at the Rodeo & Fair at the new Exhibition Grounds. The deadline for entry for yard judging is Aug. 10th or 12th if delivered in person to Bob Davidson or Jean Flett.

Wed. July 6
The Farmers Market is open in the Curling Rink from 6 p.m. - 8

p.m. Fresh fruit and vegetables are arriving. Laura at 335-4252 has all the details.

Fri. July 8

Plan now to attend the Grand opening of the new Rodeo and Exhibition Grounds NW of town starting at 7:00 p.m. Meet the invited Dignitaries and stay for a light lunch.

Fri. July 8

Cribbage play starts at 7:00 p.m. at the 5-0 Centre. Enjoy the games, visiting and the goodies served.

Fri. July 8

Your MONEY MUST be in today if you plan on going on the overnight Mystery Tour on the Community Bus in

late Aug. Talk to Bea 335-3058 or Gen 335-3449.

Fri. July 8

All juniors are welcome to the Didsbury Junior Open Golf Tournament starting at 9:00 a.m. Prizes and lunch. Phone the Clubhouse 335-3635 to register.

Sat. July 9 & Sun.**July 10**

You are welcome to the new Exhibition Grounds for the 43rd Annual Open Horse Show. If you need more info, please phone Mandy at 556-6098.

Monday July 10

Former residents, teachers and students of the Jutland - Burnside Schools, who

are returning for the 100 year Centennial Celebrations are asked to please have their replies in today. Phone Shirley 335-3787, Derek 335-3044 or Lois 337-2147.

Mon. July 10 - Fri.**July 15**

All children from kindergarten age to Gr. VII will be welcome at Vacation Bible School at the Redeemer Lutheran Church. The Theme is "The Greatest Treasure Revealed". Please phone the church at 335-3161 for more details. This is from 9 a.m. - noon each day.

July 18 - 22

Darlene at 335-9184

will give you all the details regarding Vacation Bible School at Knox United Church this week. Pre-registration is available, but not required.

Wed. July 20

A general meeting of the Lawn Bowling Club will be held at their clubhouse at 8:30 p.m. All 5-0 members are invited to attend to voice their opinion on the forthcoming merger.

The Didsbury O.O.R.P. Ladies were well pleased when well over 100 donors were present at the Blood Donor Clinic on June 20. The Didsbury High School won the award for most donors.

Didsbury Lions Club Soap Box Derby 2005

Didsbury Lions Club thanks all the participants and supervising adults who helped this year and despite an early three car pile up near the starting line everyone seems to have had a great time. Everyone who won a race went home with a cash prize.

Thanks to Reimer International for the donation to cover the cost of the prizes. AG Foods and Don's World Travel donated the cost of a burger and drink for all of the contestants. Contemporary Graphics, RBC Financial, Persimmon Patch, Fountain Tire, For Trees Company, Didsbury Drugs, and Didsbury Dry Cleaners combined to donate Tee shirts to all contestants. Thank you all for your support of this

event.

Nick Hougestol was the Grand Champion when the winners of the A, B, C, and D event winners had their run off. Nick's car was backed by Classic Performance Engines. Perhaps the safety inspectors missed something when they checked this car.

Nick Hougestol also won the A Event.

Robbie Hurst won the B Event.

Emerson Scott won the C Event.

Jarrod Knezevich won the D Event.

Grant Hemming and Curtis Hamm assembled the sound system and kept everyone informed of the proceedings throughout the morning. The races were just nicely finished when the rain came down in torrents.

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REVIEW

335-3301

**Board Member**

Calgary Health Region

The Minister of Health and Wellness invites applications from qualified Albertans to fill one vacancy on the Calgary Health Region. The regional health authority (RHA) has a broad range of responsibilities to promote and protect the health of residents. As a member of a RHA you will play a key role in decision making and planning for health care services delivered in your region.

Eligibility

Individuals interested in serving as a RHA member must be 18 years of age or older, be a Canadian citizen, have been a resident in Alberta for six (6) consecutive months as of January 1, 2005 and be a resident in the Calgary Health Region.

Qualifications

Those expressing interest in this opportunity must possess a broad understanding of issues facing the health system and an awareness of the RHA's mandate and operational structure. Preferably, the successful applicant is familiar with organizational governance, having served on the board of a large, complex private or public sector organization. Experience and contributions in a professional, management, business or community service capacity will be considered. Finance and audit experience and strong leadership and communications skills are preferred.

Remuneration

Remuneration is established by the Minister of Health and Wellness in accordance with the Government of Alberta Committee Remuneration Order.

Timelines

Nominations must be postmarked no later than July 29, 2005.

To Apply

Nomination packages are available at local MLA constituency offices, Calgary Health Region office, 10101 Southport Road, S.W., Calgary, Alberta, T2W 3N2, Alberta Health and Wellness, 20 Floor, 10025 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton, Alberta, T5J 2N3 and online at www.health.gov.ab.ca.

Completed nomination packages must be sent to:

Alberta Health and Wellness Nomination Review Panel, Box 1360, STN Main, Edmonton, Alberta T5J 2N3, Fax: (780) 422-2512

We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

**Alberta**

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April 13, 1983

Sod Turning Ceremonies

The official Sod Turning Ceremonies for the new Mountain View Health Care Centre took place on April 8th at 2:00 p.m.

The small crowd present were on hand to witness Mr. Walter Scheidt, the Hospital Board Chairman, turn the first shovel of sod at the construction site.

The hospital, which is being built at a cost of just over 10 million dollars is expected to take just over a year to complete.

After the ceremonies, dignitaries and public went on to the Memorial Complex to hear speeches and enjoy lunch and discussion. Dignitaries present for the ceremonies were Stephen Stiles, MLA, Mayor Don Watt, Walter Scheidt, Board Chairman, Bruce Freeman, Vice President, Harvey Hosegood, Reg Francis, Len Slipp, Mac Cartwright and town councillors Ron Patten, Anne Milne and Jim Gole.

April 13, 1983

Town contributes to fund

Town council, at their regular meeting on April 5th, decided to donate \$300.00 to the Didsbury High School Scholarship Fund.

The Scholarship Committee was formed in 1981 largely due to the initiative of Mr. Warren Phillips, and was able to award \$2,500 worth of scholarships to worthy DHS students in 1982.

The town's donation will be added to the general fund with no special requirements placed on who will receive it. The committee will decide where it is to be used. The decision to make the donation came after council received a letter from the committee requesting funds.

The scholarship committee, chaired by Evelyn McFarquhar who is also chairman of the Didsbury High School Parents Advisory Council, has set a goal of raising \$5,000.00 for the scholarship fund this year.

Funds for scholarships will be raised on a yearly basis and should strongly support the promotion of higher education among high school students here in Didsbury.

Nov. 86

Health Care Centre officially opens

Hundreds of area residents attended the official opening of the Mountain View Health Care Centre last Friday (October 5) which included tours of the new facility and speeches by local dignitaries and the Minister of Hospitals and Medical Care, Dave Russell.

It's been nine years since the original submission to the provincial government for expanded hospital facilities, and Friday's ceremonies marked the culmination of almost a decade of hard work and determination by past and present hos-

pital board trustees, medical staff and community members.

The weather was in full co-operation, granting a beautiful, sunny day for the tributes and greetings from officials, and the traditional ribbon cutting, both held outside the main entrance to the new hospital.

Hospitals and Medical Care Minister Dave Russell snipped the ribbon and praised the community and the government for their efforts in realizing the new \$10.2 million active treatment centre, most of which was funded by the provincial government.

"We're [the provincial government] being criticized for building too many hospitals," said Russell. "But the communities throughout Alberta deserve their facilities," he added.

He said the high costs of medical care have made it a "big ticket item" in provincial politics which in turn has attracted a lot of media coverage.

The cost for construction of the new prototypical hospital was \$1,800 per square metre, while the operating costs for each bed per day will run \$350 he said.

The prototypical, or standard hospital design is almost identical to the Oilfields General in Black Diamond, and reduces planning and construction time by about two years in comparison to a custom built facility.

Lois Radcliffe, president of the Alberta Hospital Association, said the Mountain View Health Care Centre is unique in that it is the first prototypical hospital to connect its new structure with an existing nursing home and auxiliary hospital.

"I feel these prototypicals in rural areas are just ideal," said Radcliffe. She said she could "feel the warmth of the people and how much they enjoy having the facility here."

Radcliffe is noted for reciting a poem at each hospital opening, and read a piece of her own prose documenting the history of hospital care in the Didsbury area.

She called the new centre a "healing monument," adding "it is a very proud day for you."

Mayor Don Watt said the new hospital is a welcome addition to the community.

The landscape has changed in Didsbury in the 23 years I've been here, but this is probably the nicest addition we've had," said Watt.

He thanked the hospital board and town council for their efforts, and extended a special congratulations to former mayor Raymond Shantz, who has devoted a lot of time to the new health care centre.

Carstairs Mayor Harvey Bazinet and Cremona Mayor Ken Blain both congratulated the new hospital and said they were pleased to have the facility so close to their communities. The hospital will serve both these areas, plus Crossfield, Didsbury, and to some extent Airdrie.

The vice-president of CANA Construction Ltd. of Calgary, Al Webster, and the architects of the Cohos Evamy Partnership were on hand to see the end product of their work. Architect Dan Ezringa presented a plaque to the hospital commemorating its opening.

MP Gordon Towers was unable to attend the opening because he was meeting with the Queen in Manitoba.

January 28, 1987
Community mourns death of

Ken Waugh

On Jan. 20, Didsbury lost one of its most community-minded citizens when Ken Waugh passed on at the age of 86 years. He was predeceased by his

wife, Gladys, on March 12, 1978.

He was born in Scotland on June 24, 1900 and emigrated to Canada in 1919.

Ken saw service in the British Army during World War I and served in the Canadian Air Force during World War II.

Ken lived in Didsbury for over 35 years and had been a member of the Royal Canadian Legion since 1948. He always devoted his spare time to service clubs, volunteer groups and to anyone that simply needed his help. He was the secretary/treasurer for the Board of Trade in Didsbury during the 1950's. He was a member of the Lions Club for a number of years and helped to establish the "do-good" policy that is now part of all the service clubs in the area.

He was a founding member of the Didsbury Elks and held the office of Secretary for eight years and was Publicity Director for several years also.

During the 1960's Ken gave musketry instruction to the Boy Scouts Rifle Team. He actively promoted the Building Fund to replace the Recreation Complex when it burned down, by being Secretary/Treasurer for the campaign.

For nine years, Ken was the Chairman of the Library Board and was instrumental in improving the level of library service for the community, as well as the working conditions and benefits for the staff. He helped organize the Summer Reading Programme.

Extremely active in the Didsbury and District Historical Society since its inception in 1978, Ken worked at building up the membership and acquired some valuable donations to the museum, as well as being instrumental in helping the society acquire the site for its museum. He held the office of

Receiving Officer.

Ken worked diligently for all the Elks fund-raising campaigns. For instance, the cerebral palsy fund drive and the Alberta Heart Foundation.

Ken helped to organize the Lawn Bowling Club. He walked miles throughout the year delivering letters on behalf of the Didsbury and District Historical Society, in an effort to help it save money. He also travelled many a mile in and around town picking up artifacts.

Many people in town remember Ken as the owner of the Sunrise Coffee Shop which used to be situated in the present Elks Hall.

On Jan. 22, 1983 Ken was recognized as the most outstanding volunteer of 1982 in the Town of Didsbury. He was presented with the Kuelker's Mfg. Ltd. Award.

Ken's work has been for the past - for the present - and for the future of the community. He never stopped for a break - there was always something - some project - that Ken was involved in. He devoted almost 35 years of his 86 years to the community of Didsbury.

The funeral service was held on Jan. 23 at the Elks Hall in Didsbury. Dear friends, Atleen Douglas and David Smith looked after the funeral arrangements with the Mountain View Funeral Chapel. The Rev. Canon James Linster officiated. Pallbearers were Ian Douglas, Cyril Brooke, Amos Wilkins, Bob Youngs, Hank Braun and Ken Dickau. Honorary Pallbearers were Willard Strauffer, Fred Richardson, Dave Janzen, Syd Wilkins, Joyce Mullen, Lou Persinger, Len Berscht, Rick Mousseau, Carlton Leeson and Dave Lenkins.

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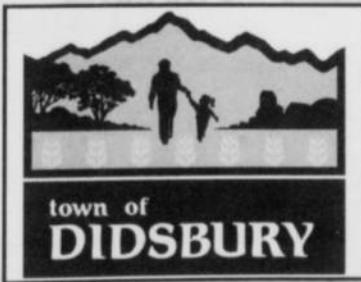
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August 31/83

QCTV comes to town

There will be more television choices available in Bowden, Didsbury, Innisfail and Olds than anywhere else in Alberta when QCTV expands cable service here in September. QCTV plans to add "Super-channel" and "First Choice" pay television service beginning Friday, September 9, plus CBXT (CBC) from Edmonton, pending approval from the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission (CRTC).

These four centres will have the highest level of cable service in the province because they are ideally situated, near Red Deer and about midway between Edmonton and Calgary. "QCTV's powerful antennas receive signals from stations in these three cities and carry all of them on each local cable system," explained Wayne Sydor, Vice-President QCTV Operations.

To accommodate all TV networks, some will be on channels between "17 and 22" or "D to G". In order to receive these extra channels (in the mid-band), QCTV offers to provide converters for a security deposit, with interest credited monthly to a subscriber's account," said Mr. Sydor. Upon return of the converter to QCTV within two years, the full security deposit will be refunded. "After two years, the converter becomes the subscriber's property and no deposit refunds or interest credits will apply," he added. Subscribers may also purchase their own converters from stores, and those who have cable-ready TV set tuners will not need a converter to receive these extra services.

Relocation of channels on the cable system is scheduled on Saturday, September 3, early in the morning to minimize service interruption for viewers, according to Mr. Sydor.

As a result of the timely system change-over, all cable subscribers will be able to take advantage of viewing "First Choice" programs for free on Labour Day between 4:00 p.m. and 2:00 a.m.

QCTV confirms it is complying with fall promotions planned by both pay TV networks and will carry "First Choice" unscrambled (channel 3), on September 5, 12 and 18, and "Superchannel" the September 9th weekend, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Friday until midnight Sunday (channel 5).

In addition to Bowden, Didsbury, Innisfail and Olds, pay television service will also

be available in Lacombe and Ponoka beginning 6:00 p.m. Friday, September 9.

March 19, 1980

What goes up - must come down

What goes up, must come down. Alberta Government Telephones crews are dismantling the last remaining open-wire long distance line in Alberta. The 62-mile section between Stettler and Drumheller was built in 1912 and at one time over 30-thousand miles of lines criss-crossed Alberta carrying long distance messages. But sleet storms were the bane of open wire. A vicious ice-storm in 1932 knocked out service over most of Central and Southern Alberta and cost hundreds of thousands of dollars to repair. Then, in 1957, the first microwave system arrived and in 1964 Alberta Government Telephones launched a massive buried cable program. Pole lines were on the way down, and out. Today, Albertans make 400-thousand long distance calls on an average day. Open wire could never have met the demand.

June 17, 1981

Group builds playground

About a year or so ago, a group of concerned residents in Didsbury got

together and formed The Didsbury Playground Creators, to build playgrounds around town for their children. Now their first park is nearing completion, in the green space in the centre of Westpark. According to member Stan Skogen, the ground-work for the park was done last fall. Over the next few weeks, the main structures will be put into place.

The park is being built on a strictly volunteer basis, and anyone who wants to help is welcome. "The support has been fairly good so far, because just about everyone has kids up here, so they're all interested," said Skogen.

The government provided money through recreation grants, and the town gave some as well. The group plans three parks in total, and already one is started in the south east end of town.

Jan. 82

Students to learn by computer

About 20 students at Didsbury High School will be involved this fall in a field trial of a revolutionary teaching method using a computer.

The students will take Mechanics 12, a grade ten course dealing with basic auto mechanics. The course, which

has never been taught in Didsbury before, has been broken down into modules, and each student will spend some of the time on the computer, some of the time doing assignments from the correspondence school and some of the time gaining practical experience in either the school shop, or in garages in town. Half of the students will be using only the material from the correspondence school, and the other will use both.

The computer system that will be used, is called Telidon, and was developed in Canada by the Department of Communication. Most of the other five schools that are participating in the project are located in the north of the province.

The project will be examined by the research branch of Alberta Education, to see if it is effective in teaching the students, whether the computer itself is capable of responding to the students needs, and what the costs are to operate this kind of distance education.

The cost to the school is minimal. They are expected to pay the tuition fees of the correspondence school, but the rest of the project is paid by the government.

Didsbury was chosen for this experiment because the school board have been actively interested in providing vocational education.

Jan. 27, 1988

Nurses 'forced' to strike

About half of the 37 nurses at the Mountain View Health Care Centre in Didsbury joined nurses throughout Alberta in an illegal strike Monday.

"The government has pushed us to this," said Lois Taylor, president of the Didsbury local. "The vote to strike here was about 50-50."

While some nurses manned the picket line, others continued to work. On Monday, five of eight nurses showed up for the day shift and hospital administrator Brian Popp said this was adequate.

However, Mr. Popp said he was concerned "there could be problems within 36 hours" if the nurses were unable to reach a settlement or if they were not legislated back to work.

"We need RNs in certain areas," he said. "We've had lots of calls from volunteers but they can't do the work of RNs."

By Monday, 15 of 33 patients in the active care wing of the hospital had been sent home, along with 34 of 40 patients in the nursing home. None of the 50 patients in the auxiliary hospital were discharged. With increases in hospital grants limited to 1.5 percent this year, Mr. Popp said the hospital would be hard-pressed to come up with extra dollars if nurses were to get the 6.9 percent hike.

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Faces



by Tamara Collins

Ralene Papke,
AG Society director

Exhibition Grounds official opening

The Didsbury Ag Society would like to invite everyone to join them in the official grand opening of their new Exhibition Grounds, on July 8 at 7 p.m. at the Grounds.

"This will be a great opportunity for people to check out the new grounds and the buildings," said Connie

Conley, AG Society. "This is the first time people are allowed to go into the buildings, they have never been used before."

The buildings that are complete are the Indoor Riding Arena, which is 90 by 180 feet, and the Stabling Barn, where the horses are stabled.

"There will be some new gravel grounds people haven't seen before, and there is some grass growing," said Conley.

Also during the evening the AG Society will be presented with a plaque from the Alberta Centennial ambassador, for achieving the goals they set out to do with the

Centennial Legacy Grant they received.

At the event there will be complimentary coffee and donuts.

After this weekend, the AG Society is ready to start selling riding memberships for the Grounds.

For more information you can contact the AG Society at 335-4494.

43rd annual Light Horse Show

The weekend of July 9 and 10, the Didsbury Light Horse Show will take place at the AG Society Exhibition Grounds, bringing in exhibitors from all over Alberta and B.C.

Saturday morning at 8 a.m. the Senior classes will start, and on Sunday at 9 a.m. the Junior classes will begin.

"This is an open horse show, which means all breeds are welcome to enter," said Kim Pross, AG Society. "There will be pony classes, trail classes, and people will learn a combination of English and Western disciplines."

The Equine and Acreage Essentials Challenge will take place at the Show for the second time, which is sponsored

by Equine and Acreage Essentials out of Olds. The Challenge is an obstacle course, which will include different obstacles with a twist, for example a pool filled with rubber ducks that the participant must go through with their horse.

There will be classes for all levels, from novice to the most experienced. Over

\$2500 in cash prizes will be given away.

You can still sign up to be in the Show by contacting the AG Society at 335-4494. Everyone is welcome to come and watch the Show at no charge. There will be concession on site. "Camping is available, and there will be lots of indoor exhibitor prizes," said Pross. "It is lots of fun to watch, so come on out."



Kim Pross

Local BMX rider wins National Championship



Wendy Vandenhoven

What started out as way to spend time with her two boys, has turned into a competitive hobby for this Didsbury woman.

Wendy Vandenhoven first started BMX riding last year, a year after her two boys started, and on June 19 she took first place in her category (cruiser, female, over 19).

"There is only one National Race per year, and people come from all over Canada to participate," said Vandenhoven.

Vandenhoven's two sons,

Austin and Tanner, became involved in BMX when the Airdrie BMX Club rented the Livestock building by the RCMP Station, and they let local kids come and try it out.

"It is a great sport to do with the kids, the whole family can race, and no matter what your age or skill level, you get to go to the same place at the same time," said Vandenhoven.

"And I really like doing the sport myself."

The big reward for winning

was the number plate Vandenhoven received.

"You get to ride with the number you earned," said Vandenhoven.

"It prevents too many people from having the same number."

The Vandenhoven family practices twice a week in Airdrie, and through out the summer they race almost every second weekend.

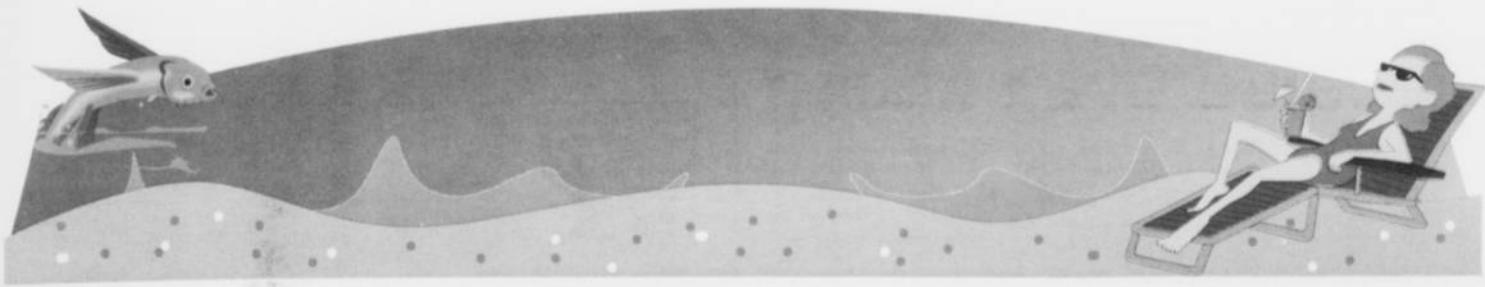
"My sister-in-law, and niece and nephew joined as well, they are from Carstairs," said Vandenhoven. "Now there is a

bunch of Vandenhovens riding."

If you would like more information about BMX you can call Wendy at 335-3684, or visit www.airdriebmx.com.

"You can join anytime of the year and you can choose how heavy you want to participate," said Vandenhoven.

"It is a good sport to start at any age, and we practice at one of the best tracks in Canada. In 2008 BMX will be in the Olympics, and someone from our track is a gold hopeful, she has six world titles."



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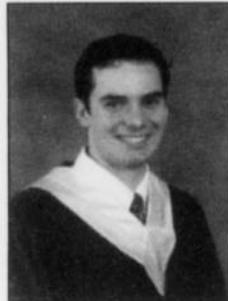
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Mountainview Homeschool Association

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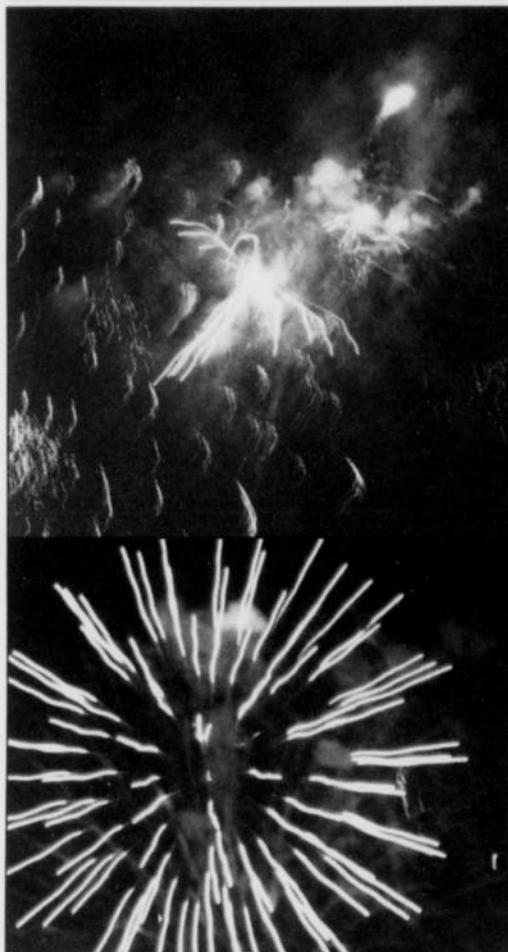
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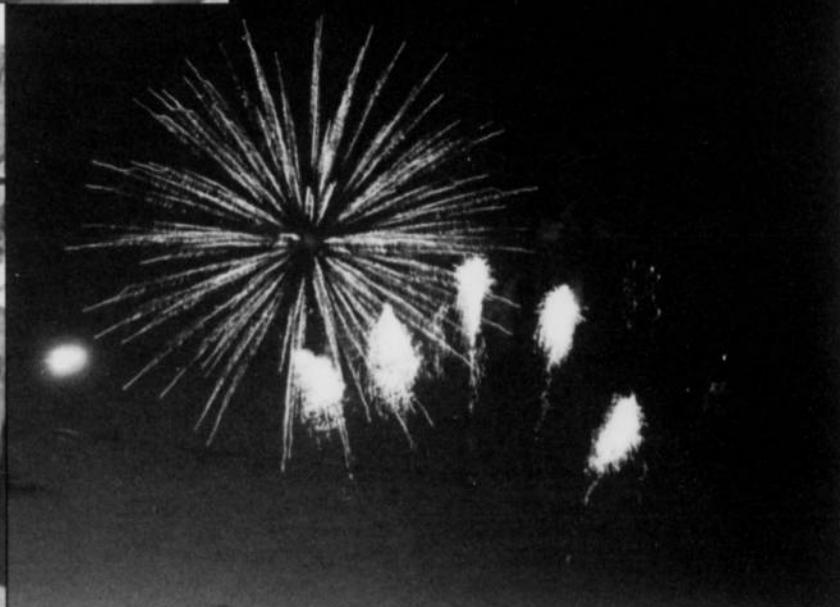
NEIGHBORHOOD



Canada Day 2005

Friday the Town of Didsbury held Canada Day celebrations at the Memorial Complex, which included horse rides, games, and food. Later that evening a fireworks display was held.

-photos by Tamara Collins



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Wednesday afternoon the Special Olympics torch came through Didsbury on its way to Lethbridge to start the games for the year. Police from around the province came together to run the torch from Wetaskiwin, where the games were last held two years ago, to the present host city. In total they will run 450 kms. Opening ceremonies were held following their arrival to Lethbridge on Friday.

-photos by Tamara Collins

Special Olympics Kick-off



4-H Dairy Club Update

Here is the latest news from the Mountain View 4-H Dairy Club. We had our Highway clean up, we cleaned from the Didsbury 4 way stop 13 miles east.

It went pretty fast and we found some cool stuff. Our Achievement day was at the end of May which was really early this year.

It went excellent and all of the kids did a super job with their heifers.

Just to show you how well everyone did, here are some placings:

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All the members would like to thank the parents and our leader Lexi Wright for all the help and support. Also we would like to thank the judge Paul Hunt and the ring man Terry Flaman for a great job and thank you

everyone for a job well done. A thank you to the AG Society for a super Facility. We are now looking forward to our Awards night and the Provincial 4H Dairy Show.

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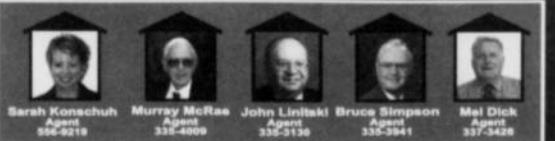
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March 4, 1987

Hustling McCoy still man on the go

Miller McCoy has been a hustling, bustling force in Didsbury ever since dropping out of high school in 1955.

That year he went to work as an apprentice at the old Didsbury Pioneer. By 1961, he wanted to buy the newspaper but his offer was turned down by the owners. He quit his job and was unemployed for four months before making a critical decision.

If he couldn't buy the town newspaper, he'd start his own.

Later that year, the Didsbury Booster was born, and for the next 17 years Miller worked in all areas of the newspaper and printing business.

"I was the editor, I wrote the stories, I sold the ads and I got about four to five hours sleep a night," Miller recalled with a laugh. "Of course I was also playing ball or hockey just about every night of the week, too."

Miller, you understand, loves ball and hockey. So when he decided to slow his pace a little from the hectic newspaper and printing grind, a sporting goods store seemed like a good alternative.

"I had the paper from May 2, 1961 to April 30, 1977 when I sold it to John Davis," he said. "The dates firmly etched in his mind. "It was time for a change of pace."

Mountain View Sports was established a short time later, and in the past 10 years, it moved three times before settling in its current location on main street, offering customers 10,000 square feet of every kind of sporting equipment under the sun.

At 49, he continues to play hockey at the oldtimers' level and finds time to coach the Didsbury Midgets.

He competed at the senior and intermediate hockey levels for 27 years, mostly with the Didsbury Ramblers. He also spent three seasons with the Olds Elks, starting in 1962.

The Ramblers took a one-year leave from hockey wars this season, but Miller predicts they'll be back next season, probably in the Chinook Hockey League.

He was an executive with the minor hockey association, for 20 years and was manager/coach of the champion Didsbury Jets in the Didsbury and District Fastball League.

In fact, he helped start the

fastball league back in 1962. He's also chairman of the minor ball association and is especially proud that 160 boys were involved in the minor ball program last year. He's also served as president of the Chamber of Commerce and was chairman of the square-headers organization, instrumental in building the Memorial Complex. He was also a Kinsmen member for 17 years.

Over the years, he's acquired interests in other businesses including the M & G Car Wash and Fas Gas service station, Salers cattle and real estate.

He and his wife Elaine will be celebrating their 28th wedding anniversary this year. He has a son, Al also works in the sporting goods store, and a daughter, Judy, married to Don Edwards. Judy and Don are parents of Miller's current pride and joy, one-year-old Terrill.

July 15, 1987
Bible College likely to move

By Peter Crosby

Mountain View Bible College, an integral part of Didsbury since 1926, will likely move to Calgary about two years from now.

"Nothing has been finalized," said College President, Dr. Ed Oke. "But I would say the chances of moving are about 60-40."

Under a proposal currently being considered by both the Missionary Church which operates Mountain View Bible College, and the Evangelical Church which operates Hillcrest Christian College in Medicine Hat, the two colleges would join in a cooperative effort and open a joint college, likely in Calgary.

Both supporting churches agreed recently to support the proposal in principle, said Dr. Oke. A committee will give further consideration to the proposal at a meeting scheduled for August.

"The earliest we could move would be a year from now but it will more likely be two years," said Dr. Oke.

He gave a number of reasons why the college wants to make the move but said "it has nothing to do with Didsbury not giving us a decent home. The town has treated us well."

The move, he said, is being considered to keep pace with changing demands for Bible college education. Among other things, there'll be greater work opportunities for students while attending college in the city, and a move to Calgary would put the college closer to other large places of learning.

A joint venture would also reduce overhead costs and an urban centre is seen as the only practical situation for a cooperative venture.

The college's board of governors says it favors a cooperative venture

with Hillcrest for the following reasons:

Church and college leaders are strongly committed to continuing Bible college education.

College programs can be strengthened and broadened together in a way increasingly difficult as separate institutions. - The two denominations are Wesleyan in doctrine and very similar in church practice. - A joint venture increases the supporting constituency from 1,200 members to over 5,000.

A significant savings in expenditures for personnel and for operations can be effected if care is taken in the joint development.

Each denomination already has three churches in Calgary.

"We think we've found a facility in Calgary," said Dr. Oke.

February 10, 1988
"Susie" Patchell turns 100, still rolls own cigarettes by Delbert Surr

February 9 marked a special date for Mrs. Susan Patchell. On that day she saw what many prophets and kings wanted to see but were denied: her 100th birthday.

Susie, as she is known by her friends and relatives, was born Susan Sarah Crow, the second of seven children of Carl C. Crow (his real name was David Crockett Crow) and Nettie Mary Booher Crow (nee Johnson). Like the first five of her brothers and sisters, she was born in the family home in Morrow County, Lexington, Oregon.

When I talked with Susie and her 92 year old sister, Mrs. Nellie Reinchardt, the ladies both remembered vividly the family's move to Palouse, Washington in 1900. It was here, in 1903, that their father read an article in the Spokane Review written by a Canadian cattleman named Bill Graham, denouncing his government's sale of homestead land. The homesteads advertised at \$10 for 160 acres would disrupt and ruin the whole Canadian cattle industry. Carl Crow, whom Susie remembers as a man who always believed there was a greener pasture right over that next hill, decided to move to Canada.

On the six-week journey by ferry and covered wagon, the family teamed up with an old gold miner, Gun Bill Salas. He fascinated the children with his display of wealth: a wide belt studded with \$10 gold pieces and pouches of gold sewn into his pants pockets. They knew paper money was also inside the lining of his coat. Their rich friend continued with them into Canada to where they homesteaded just a few miles south and west of present day Cremona, Alberta. Ironically, the quarter section they were assigned was within a mile of the angry cattleman, Bill Graham.

When the Crow family first came to Canada, they stayed in an old house at Sandy Matheson's (now the David Backstrom farm), while their father and Gun Bill built the log cabin on their homestead. The ladies vividly remember the prairie fires that plagued the early west. One time, the children saw the flames of a prairie fire leaping high on the horizon. They alerted their parents who were immediately concerned for the newly stacked hay. The farm buildings would be saved by the nine furrows of plowed fire guard and some water splashed on the roof, but there was nothing to protect the horses' winter food supply. Quickly, Sandy Matheson hitched a team and started plowing. He realized he couldn't plow nine furrows before the fire came, so he plowed three, left a six-foot space of ground, and plowed another three furrows. Then he deliberately set fire to the grass between. When the prairie fire came, he had the equivalent of nine furrows which the fire was unable to cross, and the

hay was saved. The sisters still m^hvel at this bit of pioneer ingenuity.

The Crow family moved in their new house the day after Christmas, 1903. The chinook weather was so warm that it rained Christmas eve. Several months later, the last Crow child was born in that cabin. The entry in the family Bible was Audrey Alberta Crow - April 17, 1904 - Bradburne, N.W. Perhaps the middle name was chosen because the parents knew it was going to be the name of the soon-to-be province. Bradburne is the present day hamlet of Dogpound. Many years later, when it was time to apply for the old age pension, the Canadian government accepted these entries in the family bible as proof of the children's date of birth.

Susie met the man of her dreams, Fred Jack Lawton Patchell, and they were married on Friday, June 6, 1906 in Calgary. She recalls that Calgary was so small then that she knew nearly everyone in town. Her only child, Robert (Bob), was born in 1907.

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Trip to Jepson's studio like stepping through looking glass

Entering Ruth Jepson's studio is a delightful experience.

Located above the Short Stop Confectionery, the studio gallery is decked with revealing portraits of the artist's style and development through the years since her debut.

Before leaving England in 1957, Ruth and family stored the bulk of their belongings with the notion they would return after two years. However, even a posting in Peers, a small town in rugged northwestern Alberta, did not dissuade them from taking up permanent residence in this country.

Like the colors on her palette, Ruth has led a life of contrasts.

From the sparsely furnished teahouse in Peers to the heat and dry winds of Taber, Ruth and her family lived in gumboiled High Prairie, experienced military life in Cold Lake, and after a short stay in Lethbridge, moved to Didsbury where Ruth has lived since.

Born in Didsbury, England, Ruth has always been interested in recreating personalities on canvas. At the age of 12, she painted a portrait of her grandfather which was entered in the Lancashire Art Exhibition.

Her formal training included three years at art school in Preston, but her success is a result of many hours spent discovering her craft, and incidentally, herself.

After raising six children, she decided to rekindle her desire to paint. Thus, the Corner Studio where she has wielded a paint brush now for eight years.

A visit to her studio is a refreshing departure from the pace which is visible from her spacious windows. She is only too willing to chat in her cosy sitting room adjacent to her work area.

Ruth has very observant eyes and very expressive hands, necessary tools of her trade. The warmth, the light, the tone and the life that permeate the room are extensions of her personality which is so noticeable in her portraits.

She is the first to admit that her talent has matured. The strength so visible in her work, is a reflection of the strength of her character. Evidence of her work can be viewed throughout the county.

For a more lifelike look at the artist, visit Ruth in her studio on the corner. It's like stepping through a looking glass.

May 20, 1987

New dollar coins by July

Canada's new one-dollar coin made its public debut at a striking ceremony at the Royal Canadian Mint in Winnipeg in preparation for this July when 100 million of the coins begin circulating across the country.

The coin features a portrait of the

loon, and is only slightly heavier and larger than a 25-cent coin. Its eleven-sided shape and yellow-gold colour easily distinguish it from other coins. And its benefits far outweigh those of its paper counterpart. The new dollar coin will gradually replace the one-dollar bill which will be phased out by the end of 1989.

Monique Vezina, Minister of Supply and Services, was on hand today for the ceremonial striking of the coin. "This new coin is practical, convenient, and I think very attractive," she said, adding that it is an excellent example of cooperation between government, business and industry.

The government first announced the introduction of the dollar coin in March, 1986, after several business and special interest groups suggested significant savings and benefits could be realized.

For transit companies, the coin is a boon. Individual transit companies spend thousands of dollars every year to unclog fare boxes that have become jammed with rolled and crumpled dollar bills. The Canadian Urban Transit Association (CUTA) forecasts savings of \$4 million per year with the introduction of the

coin. These savings will be passed on to the passenger in the form of better and faster service.

In addition, with the introduction of a one-dollar coin, vending machines will be able to have expanded product lines. The idea has also received praise from organizations for the visually impaired whose members appreciate the coin's distinctive shape.

Maurice Latontaine, Master of the Mint, said the Mint "is proud to be involved in the most significant change to our coinage system in the last 50 years. We believe the dollar coin will be appreciated and used by all Canadians."

The government has long been considering the benefits of a one-dollar coin. Each year 300 million dollars bills - which last only a year - are distributed at a cost of \$16.6 million. The new coin, however, has a lifespan of 20 years, and over that time will enable the government to save over \$175 million in production and distribution costs.

The coin bears the simple and beautiful loon design by renowned Canadian artist Robert-Ralph Carmichael on one side, and Arnold Machin's portrait of the Queen on the obverse. It was engraved by the Mint's Terence Smith.

1983 Alberta Summer Games Sport Summary

LOCATION	ACTIVITY	NO. OF PARTICIPANTS
OLDS	Baseball	160
	Ladies Golf	72
	Mens Golf	72
	Full Bore	24
	Pistol	24
	Street	24
	Fast Draw	6
	Black Powder	6
	Ladies Fastpitch	152
	Soccer	144
	Synchronized Swimming	88
	Tennis	112
	Biathlon	30
	Davey Thompson (Mountain Man)	6
		922
DIDSBURY	Canoeing (Lake)	120
	Diving	104
	Equestrian	152
	Lawn Bowing	64
	Fast Draw	6
	Mixed Slowpitch	152
	Swimming	352
	Modified Swimming	40
	Synchronized Swimming	88
	Tennis	112
	Track & Field	280
	Modified Track & Field	40
		1510
CARSTAIRS	Archery	104
	Baseball	160
	Ladies Golf	72
	Mens Golf	72
	Trapshooting	40
	Black Powder	6
		454
CREMONA	Trail Ride	80
	Horseshoes	96
	Fast Draw	6
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DR. DOBSON: Not with some teenagers, perhaps not with the majority. Tension occurs in the most loving and intelligent of families. Why? Because it is driven by powerful hormonal forces that overtake and possess boys and girls in the early pubescent years.

I believe parents and even some behavioral scientists have underestimated the impact of the biochemical changes occurring in puberty. We can see the effect of these hormones on the physical body, but something equally dynamic is occurring in the brain. How else can we explain why a happy, contented, cooperative 12-year-old suddenly becomes a sullen, angry, depressed 13-year-old? Some authorities would contend that social pressure alone accounts for this transformation. I simply don't believe that.

The emotional characteristics of a suddenly rebellious teenager are rather like the symptoms of premenstrual syndrome or severe menopause in women, or perhaps a tumultuous midlife crisis in men. Obviously, dramatic changes are going on inside!

Furthermore, if the upheaval were caused entirely by environmental factors, its onset would not be so predictable in puberty. The emotional changes I have described arrive right on schedule, timed to coincide precisely with the arrival of sexual maturation. Both characteristics, I contend, are driven by a common hormonal assault. Human chemistry apparently goes haywire for a few years, in some more than others, affecting mind as much as body.

QUESTION: I made a little offhand comment the other day about my daughter's hair, and she cried for an hour. I didn't mean to hurt her. I guess she's just more sensitive than I thought. Do I have to walk on eggshells around her?

DR. DOBSON: You should always be mindful that your daughter is listening to what you say about her and that she's "reading" the subtle attitudes that you might like to conceal. Kids are extremely sensitive to their parents' love and respect. That's why adults must learn to guard what they say in their presence.

Many times I have been consulted by a mother regarding a particular problem her child is having. As Mom describes the details of the boy's or girl's problems, I notice that the subject of all this conversation is standing about a yard behind her. His ears are 10 feet tall as he listens to a candid description of all his faults. The child may remember that conversation for a lifetime.

Parents often inadvertently convey disrespect to a child whom they genuinely love. For example, Mom may become tense and nervous when little Jimmy speaks to guests or outsiders. She butts in to explain what he is trying to say or laughs nervously when his remarks sound foolish. When someone asks him a direct question, she interrupts and answers for him. She reveals her frustration when she is trying to comb his hair or make him "look nice" for an important event. He knows Mom thinks it is an impossible assignment. If he is to spend a weekend away from the family, the mother gives him an extended lecture on how to avoid making a fool of himself.

These subtle behaviors are signals to the child that the mother doesn't trust him with her image and that he must be supervised closely to avoid embarrassing the whole family. He reads respect in her manner, though it is framed in genuine love.

The first step in building a strong self-concept in your children is to be very careful what you say and do in their presence. Be particularly cautious about the matters of physical attractiveness and intelligence. These are two primary "soft spots" where boys and girls are most vulnerable.

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CARDS OF THANKS

Molly Howden and family would like to thank Dr. Puts, Dr. Vervaack and all the nursing staff for all the wonderful care Roy received from them. A special thank-you goes out to the Paramedics and Rescue Squad for all their hard work, and as well to Cst. Steve Woolnough for all his care and concern for the family. A big thank-you to everyone who sent food, cards, flowers and made special visits and phone calls. Your generosity has been overwhelming. Thank-you once again.

With heartfelt gratitude I wish to thank Dr. Kelly, nurses and staff of Olds hospital for the excellent care I received while there. To all those "special" people who phoned to inquire, sent cards and gifts and came to visit me in hospital. God bless you all.

Jean Brautigam

LOEWEN, Elizabeth - Elizabeth Loewen passed away on June 18, 2005 at the age of 90 years, in Campbell River, B.C. She was born to Jacob & Katherina on Nov. 14, 1914 on a farm near Didsbury, Alberta.

Beth grew up on the farm, and attended school locally. Later she graduated from the Mountain View Bible College. She was baptised by Rev. A. Traub on July 30, 1932.

OBITUARIES

On Dec. 15, 1945, Beth married Abe Loewen and they spent 50 years together on their farm east of Didsbury. Beth was predeceased by her husband, Abe in 1997. After Abe's passing, Beth stayed on the farm for another year, then moved to a local seniors lodge, and later moved to live with her daughter, Carolene, in Campbell River, B.C. Beth is survived by her four children: Carolene (Steve) Sparling, of

Campbell River, B.C. Richard (Sandra) Loewen, Jim (Wendy) Loewen, and Dave (Lorelei) Loewen, all of Didsbury. 13 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. She is also survived by 1 brother Abe Neufeld, of Vernon, B.C. A memorial service was held at the Bergthal Mennonite Church on Friday, June 24, 2005, with Pastor Elwin Garland officiating. Interment was at the Bergthal Cemetery.

HOWDEN - Roy was born in Calgary on May 6, 1927. It was here that he met and married his lifelong partner, Molly Cordick. During their life, Roy and Molly did a lot of travelling due to Roy's line of work. He worked in the seismic field for a number of years. In 1953, they moved to Cremona where they farmed. Next they moved to Carstairs where they resided for a few more years. From there, they moved to Didsbury. This was when Roy decided that this town would be their last stop and it was time to settle down. Here he took on the job of Head Custodian at Ross Ford Elementary

School. Roy made many lifelong friends while working there. He shot back at those teachers with as much humor as they dished out to him. Roy retired from Ross Ford in 1989. Some of Roy's favorite pastimes were spent camping, carpet bowling, floor curling, playing his banjo and spending time with his buddies. Roy will be sadly missed, but always lovingly remembered by his wife Molly of 55 years; his three children Wayne (Mary), Vivian (Mark), Darrel (Sherry); seven grandchildren Amanda, Yolanda, Ashley, Naomie, Lindsey, Michael and Steven; two brothers Ross (Theresa) of Logan

Lake, BC and Earl (Maureen) of Victoria, BC; as well as numerous nieces, nephews and many close and dear friends. Roy was predeceased by his mother Ila in 1985 and his father Art in 1989. Memorial services were held on Saturday, July 2, 2005 at 2:00 p.m. in the Knox United Church, Didsbury with Pastor Richard Pahl officiating. Memorial donations may be made directly to the Alberta Lung Association or the charity of choice. As a tribute to Roy Howden, a tree will be planted in the Heartland Tree Memorial Park, Olds. Heartland Funeral Services entrusted with arrangements.



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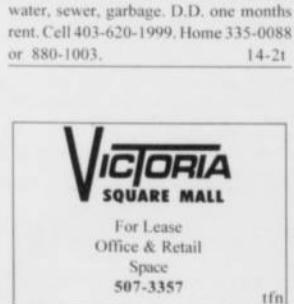
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Vacation Bible School
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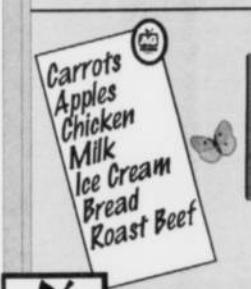
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Didsbury Environmental Advisory Board meets once every month at the Town Office. For info call the Town Office 335-3391.

BEAVER'S

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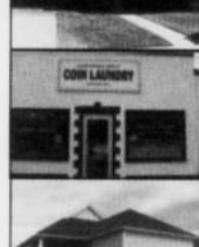
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